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Applicant:	Richard F. Wrenn	§	Group Art	2662
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Serial No.:	09/669,396	§		
		§	Examiner:	Christopher M. Swickhamer
Filed:	September 26, 2000	§		
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For:	Method and Apparatus for	§	Atty. Dkt.	200308239-1
	Distributing Traffic Over	§		(HPC.0156US)
	Multiple Switched Fibre	§		
	Channel Routes	§		

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MAY 26, 2004

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of May 26, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

Date of Deposit:	<i>July 19, 2004</i>
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